6. Docket No. 2432—L. F. 92-96, dated the 23rd December 1903, from the Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments, enquiring whether the Board are prepared to forego the revenue on Kandayam lands in the Kankanapalya village in the event of its being re-transferred to the Bangalore Taluk as proposed by them.

7. Letter No. 4231, dated the 21st December 1903, from the President of the Civil and Military Station Municipality, proposing the opening of a joint toll gate at the Nandidrug road Ukkad and sharing the proceeds equally in view to avoid the existing differences between the two Municipalities regarding the location of their toll gates at that road.

8. Applications for permission to manufacture bricks in the City as well as in the New Extensions and the Sanitary Assistant Engineer's opinion thereon.

9. Application of Dhondubayi for grant of a piece of land sufficient to build a small house on site No. 6 in Santhusapete (the house which was situated on it and which was owned by her, was demolished under Epidemic Diseases Regulation and site acquired by Government for better sanitation), on condition of her paying a nominal rent of 4 annas a year and the Municipality resuming the land on her death.

10. Appointment of a Sub-Committee for preparation of Draft Budget for 1904-05.

11. Memo No. 146, dated the 8th January 1904, from the Superintending Engineer, Eastern Circle, stating that widening the main drain beyond Maramut Krishna Rao's lane may be put off for the present.

12. Sub-Committee's report regarding the remission of taxes applied for by the merchants of the old Taragupete.

13. Two notices from Mr. K. Ramaswamy Iyengar, Advocate, stating that his client Chintalayya, owner of demolished shop sites Nos. 6, 8 and 9 in the cross lane between Doddapete and Ragipete, would take legal steps unless the Municipality pay him the full compensation demanded by him for the entire extent of the sites, *viz.*, 2,558-5-5 including damages, or grant him licenses to build on the whole extent.

H. H. SPARKES, *President.*

COORG FOREST DEPARTMENT.

EBONY SALES.

Notice dated Mercara, 3rd December 1903.

Tenders will be accepted up to the 15th February 1904 for five lots rough dressed Ebony logs aggregating about 1,200 c. ft. (more or less) now lying at Baliapatam, Malabar District; details of the logs may be obtained on application to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Coorg, Mercara.

Every tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100 in currency notes as earnest money; in default of which no tender will be accepted. Covers containing tenders should be addressed to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Coorg, Mercara, and duly insured, registered and superscribed "Tender for Ebony."

All tenders received will be opened on the 15th February 1904, and any which arrive after that date will be returned unopened to the Post Office.

Every tender must formulate its bids for each separate lot in the detail statement aforesaid. *No offers per cubic foot, or for one or more specified logs or lump sum bids for two or more lots, or for the whole, will be considered.*

The Deputy Conservator of Forests does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender. Acceptance will be communicated to the successful tenderer and the earnest money of others will be returned on production of stamped receipts.

A successful tenderer shall remit into the Treasury, through letters of advice which will be supplied to him within 7 days of the acceptance of the tender, a 10 per cent deposit on the value of his purchase; and also the balance (after deduction of earnest money) within 30 days from the date of acceptance. In default of either, the tender may be cancelled, the earnest money forfeited, and a re-sale held at the risk of the defaulter.

Timber which is sold remains from the date of acceptance at the risk of the purchaser, but no removals will be allowed until the payment of the full value.

Re-measurement but not re-dressing of logs is allowed to purchasers, but the Deputy Conservator of Forests will not accept any differences thus brought to notice after removal, or in any case unless the same is proved to his satisfaction. Any accepted differences whether in excess or deficit shall be adjusted by proportional payments or deductions.

For detail lists or particulars applications may be made to the undersigned.

C. MCCARTHY, *Dy. Conservator of Forests.*